### STATE OF ILLINOIS HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

Meeting of Panel B January 27, 2016 11:30 a.m.

James R. Thompson Center
Murdock Room - DHS

100 W. Randolph Street, Suite 5-300
Chicago, Illinois
and
Lincoln Land Training Center
130 West Mason
Room 104
Springfield, Illinois

### **MINUTES**

**Present:** Commissioners Robert A. Cantone, Panel Chair

**Hamilton Chang** 

Steve Kim

Staff Donyelle L. Gray

Evelio Mora

Christine M. Welninski

Public None

#### Call to Order

A meeting of Human Rights Commission Panel B was called to order on January 27, 2016, at 11:30 a.m. by Panel Chair Robert A. Cantone.

Pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/1 *et seq.* and 775 ILCS 5/8-103 of the Illinois Human Rights Act, it was determined that:

1) A panel of three Commission members was physically present at the meeting.

#### I. Minutes

October 21, 2015

The minutes of the meeting of October 21, 2015 were approved as submitted by staff. Motion to approve the October 21, 2015 minutes made by Commissioner Chang, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

#### II. Request for Review

A) Richard Poole v. Tootsie Roll Industries, LLC

Charge No.: 2011CF3308 ALS No.: 12-0361

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Chang, seconded by Commissioner Cantone. Motion carried with 2 in favor and one abstention by Commissioner Kim.

B) Vivian E. Brown v. Erickson Management Company
Charge No.: 2012CH1294 ALS No.: 12-0362

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

C) Penney Washington v. Board of Education of Crete Monee School District 201-U Charge No.: 2012CP0666 ALS No.: 12-0363

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Chang, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

D) Larry Hunter III v. Rock Island Housing Authority
Charge No.: 2012CH2059 ALS No.: 12-0371

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Chang. Motion carried 3-0.

E) Namon and Letitia Barnett v. Walter and Jayne Owiesny Charge No.: 2012CH2313 ALS No.: 12-0372

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Chang. Motion carried 3-0.

F) Alfredo Lopez v. LLA Marine, Inc., d/b/a Pacific Railroad Services, LLC Charge No.: 2011CF3026 ALS No.: 12-0377

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Chang, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

#### III. Motion for Extension of Time

Kathy Harts v. Illinois Gaming Board

Charge No.: 2009CF1306 ALS No.: 09-0545

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

#### IV. Motion for Substitution of Counsel

Simona Wells v. Advocate Christ Medical Center

Charge No.: 2008CF0179 ALS No.: 08-0288

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

#### V. Motion to Withdraw Appearance as Counsel

Neal Peterson v. Regency Express, Inc.

Charge No.: 2012CP4140 ALS No.: 13-0412

The Panel voted to deny the Motion in the above-referenced matter for lack of proper service. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

#### VI. Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss a Request for Review

A) Krista Allen-Sanders v. University of Chicago Medical Center Charge No.: 2012CA2954 ALS No.: 13-0312

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

B) Brigid Boasiako v. Northwestern Memorial Hospital Charge No.: 2013CF0408 ALS No.: 14-0228

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Chang. Motion carried 3-0.

C) Nicole Williams v. Levy Security Corporation

Charge No.: 2013CR1929 ALS No.: 14-0340

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

D) Susan M. Wagner v. Village of Orland Park

Charge No.: 2013CF1614 ALS No.: 14-0320

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Kim, seconded by Commissioner Chang. Motion carried with 2 in favor and one abstention by Commissioner Cantone.

### VII. Motion for Leave to Cite Additional Authority

Sharon Tadlock v. Benedictine University

Charge No.: 2011SN1636 ALS No.: 12-0025

The Panel voted to deny the Motion in the above-referenced matter for mootness. Motion made by Commissioner Kim, seconded by Commissioner Chang. Motion carried 3-0.

# VIII. Request for Consolidation of Charges and the Respective Request for Review

A. Peter Chege v. Black Hawk College

Charge No.: 2014SF1400 ALS No.: 15-0146

B. Peter Chege v. Black Hawk College

Charge No.: 2014SF0387 ALS No.: 15-0407

The Panel voted to strike the Motion in the above-referenced matter pursuant to the Complainant's request. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim, Motion carried 3-0.

# IX. Urgent Request for Consideration of the Two Sets of Charges and My Two Requests for Review of Dismissal of Charges

A. Peter Chege v. Black Hawk College

Charge No.: 2014SF1400 ALS No.: 15-0146

B. Peter Chege v. Black Hawk College

Charge No.: 2014SF0387 ALS No.: 15-0407

The Panel voted to deny the Motion in the above-referenced matters. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

## X. Motion to Enforce Subpoena

Larita Burrell v. Mike Adams Charge No.: 2013CN1406

The Panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

ALS No.: 13-0509

#### XI. Settlements

DHR#	Complainant	Respondent
1. 2016CH0337 2. 2015CH3162 3. 2016CH0038 4. 2015CH3321 5. 2016SH1113 6. 2016CH0978 7. 2009CH1046 8. 2015CH0312 9. 2012CF2558	P. Ray I. Coleman AIDS Healthcare, et al. M. Perez C. Moore J. Kappel IDHR & H. Kontos IDHR & A. Dulski, et al. D. Snelius	<ol> <li>Oglesby Towers, LLC 2. TLC Management Co.</li> <li>Liz Anderson, Realtor 2. Century 21 Kreuser et al.</li> <li>George L. Walker, DDS 2. Shirly M. Walker, et al.</li> <li>Oakwood Court Condominium Association, et al.</li> <li>Holland MHP LLC, corrected to Mascoutah MHP LLC</li> <li>G &amp; E Holdings LLC</li> <li>Cynthia Bird, William Knapp and Lake Shore Drive et al.</li> <li>John Milkovic, Martin Milkovic and Marija Milkovic</li> <li>Poplano's, Inc.</li> </ol>

The Panel voted to approve settlements 1 through 9. Motion made by Commissioner Cantone, seconded by Commissioner Kim. Motion carried 3-0.

# XII. Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 p.m. Motion made by Commissioner Kim, seconded by Commissioner Chang. Motion carried 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Donyelle L. Gray General Counsel